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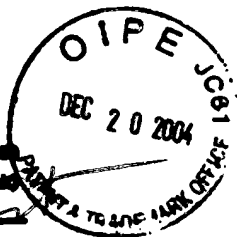
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In re Application of:)	
Peter F. CHU)	Group Art Unit: 2817
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Entitled: EER MODULATOR WITH POWER)	Examiner: Unknown
AMPLIFIER HAVING FEEDBACK LOOP)	
PROVIDING SOFT OUTPUT IMPEDANCE))	
)	
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Inquiry is hereby made regarding the status of the above-identified patent application.

Applicants' attorney has not as yet received an official action from the United States Patent and Trademark Office, for the subject application which was filed on **December 8, 2003**. The address of applicants' attorney has not changed since this application was filed.

Kindly indicate to the applicants' attorney, the status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,



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